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- __ 1. An application consisting of 33 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, and 8 sheets of drawings is attached.
 - 2. A newly executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
 - 3. An Assignment of the invention to Microsoft Corporation is enclosed, together with a Recordation Cover Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 and our check including the amount of \$40.00 to cover the recordation fee. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.

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